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SUBJECT: EXTENSION OF FOOD AID CONVENTION

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1. EMBOFF INFORMED STAFFAN SOHLMAN, HEAD OF
MULTILATERAL ASSISTNACE IN MFA, APRIL 8, HOW U.S.
PLANNED PROCEED WITH RESPECT TO SIGNING FOOD AID
CONVENTION (FAC) AND RESTATED BASIC U.S. POSITION.

2. SOHLMAN SAID THAT KING IN COUNCIL HAD AUTHORIZED
GOVERNMENT TO SIGN EXTENDING PROTOCOL. LIKE THE U.S.,
SWEDEN WILL SIGN, BUT WILL WITHHOLD RATIFICATION
PENDING FAVORABLE DECISION BY EC.

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3. EMBASSY WOULD APPRECIATE INFORMATION FROM

DEPARTMENT ON TWO QUESTIONS WHICH SOHLMAN RAISED IN
COURSE OF CONVERSATION:

A. DOES US INTEND TO FILL ITS FAC COMMITMENT
IN TERMS OF DOLLARS OR VOLUME? SOHLMAN UNDERSTANDS
THAT DOLLAR VALUE OF U.S. PL480 PROGRAM WILL BE
UNCHANGED THIS YEAR COMPARED TO LAT; HE IS CONCERNED
THEREFORE THAT HIGHER PRICES WILL REDUCE VOLUME OF
COMMODITIES THAT U.S. CAN SUPPLY AT THE FIXED VALUE.

B. WHAT IS STATUS OF U.S. CONTRIBUTION TO
UNDP? HE UNDERSTANDS THAT U.S. CONTRIBUTED \$75 MILLION
IN FY 73 AND WOULD APPRECIATE KNOWING WHAT U.S.
CONTRIBUTION WAS FOR FY 74 AND WHAT IS PROPOSED
FOR FY 75.
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